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Applicant : THORSTEN SCHEDEL ET AL.  
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FOR CARRYING OUT EXPOSURE

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

U.S. Patent No. 6,411,387 B1 (Kaneko et al.), dated June 25, 2002;

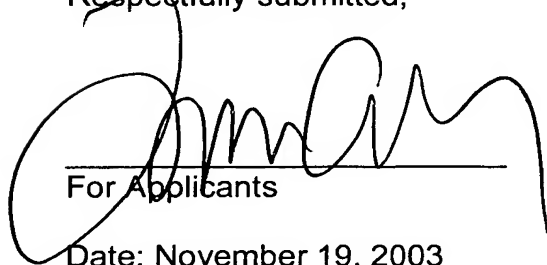
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